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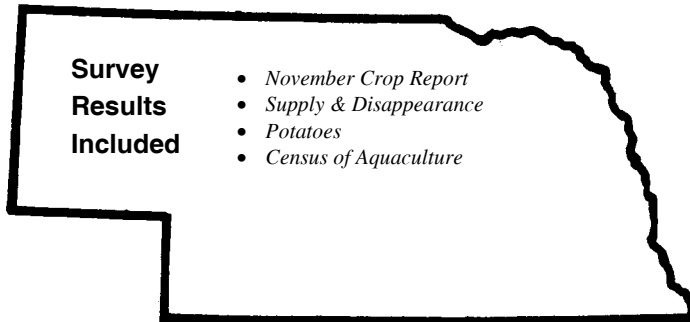
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- Supply & Disappearance
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- Census of Aquaculture

Dear Producer and Data Users:

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### Nebraska November 1 Crop Report

Based on November 1 conditions, Nebraska's 2005 corn crop is forecast at 1.29 billion bushels, 2 percent below last month and 2 percent below last year's record production. Yield is forecast at 157 bushels per acre, down 3 bushels from last month and 9 bushels below last year's record high.

Soybean production is forecast at 228 million bushels, unchanged from last month and 4 percent above last year. Yield is forecast at 49 bushels per acre, unchanged from last month and 3 bushels above last year. At this level, both production and yield would be the largest on record.

Sorghum production is forecast at 21.3 million bushels, unchanged from October and 37 percent below last year. Yield is forecast at 85 bushels per acre, unchanged from the previous month and up 4 bushels from last year.

### U.S. November 1 Crop Report

U.S. corn production is forecast at 11.0 billion bushels, up 2 percent from last month but 7 percent below 2004. Based on conditions as of November 1, yields are expected to average 148.4 bushels per acre, up 2.3 bushels from October but 12.0 bushels below last year. If realized, both production and yield would be the second largest on record.

Soybean production is forecast at 3.04 billion bushels, up 3 percent from October but 3 percent below 2004. Based on November 1 conditions, yields are expected to average a record high 42.7 bushels per acre, up 1.1 bushels from October and 0.5 bushel above last year.

Sorghum grain production is forecast at 388 million bushels, up 3 percent from last month but down 15 percent from last year. The U.S. sorghum yield forecast is 68.2 bushels per acre, up 2.2 bushels from October but down 1.6 bushels from last year.

### Crop Summary: Acres Harvested, Yield and Production, Nebraska and United States, 2003-2005

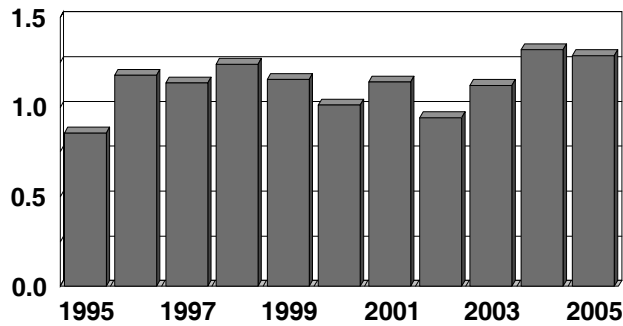
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Classification		Nebraska				United States			
		2003	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>	<u>2005</u> 2004	2003	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>	<u>2005</u> 2004
Corn for Grain									
Harvested	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	7,700	7,950	8,200	103	70,944	73,632	74,333	101
Yield	<i>Bushels</i>	146.0	*166.0	157.0	95	142.2	160.4	148.4	93
Production	<i>1,000 Bushels</i>	1,124,200	*1,319,700	1,287,400	98	10,089,222	11,807,217	11,032,105	93
Soybeans for Beans									
Harvested	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	4,550	4,750	4,650	98	72,476	73,958	71,270	96
Yield	<i>Bushels</i>	40.5	46.0	*49.0	107	33.9	42.2	42.7	101
Production	<i>1,000 Bushels</i>	182,250	218,500	*227,850	104	2,453,665	3,123,686	3,043,116	97
Sorghum for Grain									
Harvested	<i>1,000 Acres</i>	500	415	250	60	7,798	6,517	5,687	87
Yield	<i>Bushels</i>	62.0	81.0	85.0	105	52.7	69.8	68.2	98
Production	<i>1,000 Bushels</i>	31,000	33,615	21,250	63	411,237	454,899	387,686	85

<sup>1</sup> Forecasted November 1, 2005. \*Record. Source: USDA NASS Crop Production, November 10, 2005.

## NEBRASKA CORN PRODUCTION

Forecast as of November 1, 2005

Billions of Bushels

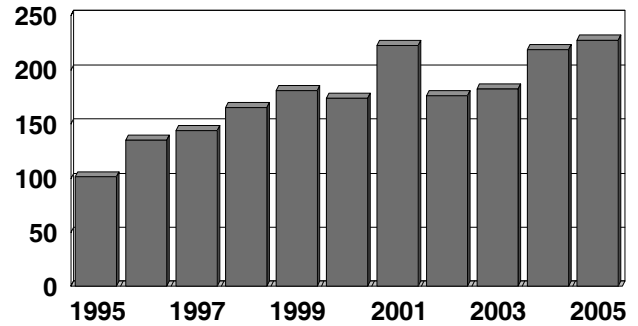


Source: USDA NASS, Nebraska Field Office, November 10, 2005

## NEBRASKA SOYBEAN PRODUCTION

Forecast as of November 1, 2005

Millions of Bushels



Source: USDA NASS, Nebraska Field Office, November 10, 2005

## Corn and Soybeans: Yield and Production, Selected States and United States, 2003-2005 and Forecasted November 1, 2005

State	Corn					Soybeans				
	Yield per Acre		Production			Yield per Acre		Production		
	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>	2003	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>	2003	2004	2005 <sup>1</sup>
	<i>Bushels</i>		<i>1,000 bushels</i>			<i>Bushels</i>		<i>1,000 bushels</i>		
Illinois	180.0	145.0	1,812,200	2,088,000	1,732,750	50.0	46.0	379,620	495,000	434,700
Indiana	168.0	151.0	786,940	929,040	868,250	51.5	48.0	204,060	284,280	257,760
Iowa	181.0	175.0	1,868,300	2,244,400	2,178,750	49.0	53.0	342,875	497,350	532,650
Kansas	150.0	130.0	300,000	432,000	429,000	41.0	37.0	57,040	111,110	103,600
Minnesota	159.0	171.0	970,900	1,120,950	1,162,800	33.0	44.0	238,400	232,650	299,200
Missouri	162.0	108.0	302,400	466,560	318,600	45.0	36.0	146,025	223,200	178,200
Nebraska	166.0	157.0	1,124,200	1,319,700	1,287,400	46.0	49.0	182,250	218,500	227,850
Ohio	158.0	143.0	478,920	491,380	460,460	47.0	44.0	164,780	207,740	196,680
So. Dakota	130.0	123.0	427,350	539,500	485,850	34.0	36.0	115,500	140,080	138,600
United States	160.4	148.4	10,089,222	11,807,217	11,032,105	42.2	42.7	2,453,665	3,123,686	3,043,116

<sup>1</sup> Forecasted November 1, 2005. Source: USDA NASS Crop Production, November 10, 2005.

## U.S. Grains Supply and Disappearance Outlook

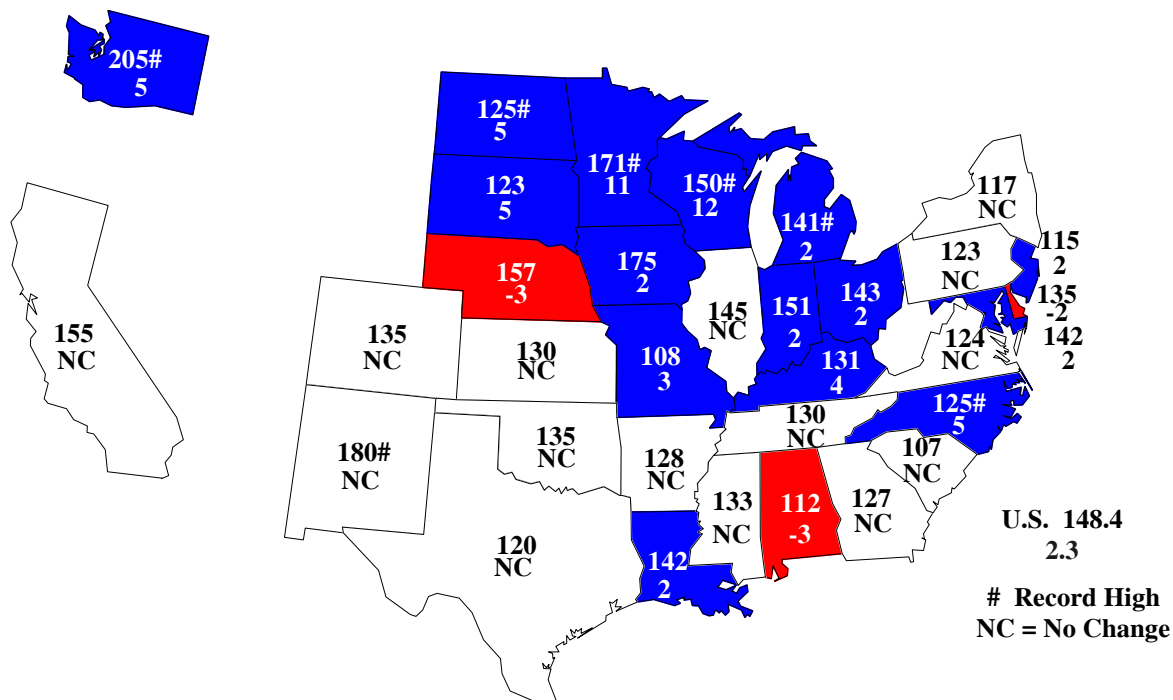
Crop Year	Supply				Market Year Disappearance <sup>1</sup>				Market Year Ending Stocks	Average Market Price
	Pro- duction	Begin- ning stocks	Im- ports	Total	Domestic		Ex- ports	Total		
					Primary Use <sup>2</sup>	Other				
Million Bushels										
\$/bu.										
Corn										
2003/04	10,089	1,087	14	11,190	5,795	2,537	1,900	10,232	958	2.42
2004/05	11,807	958	11	12,776	6,164	2,686	1,814	10,664	2,112	2.06
2005/06 <sup>3</sup>	11,032	2,112	10	13,154	5,875	2,960	2,000	10,835	2,319	1.60-2.00
Soybeans										
2003/04	2,454	178	6	2,638	1,529	109	887	2,525	112	7.34
2004/05	3,124	112	5	3,241	1,696	186	1,103	2,985	256	5.74
2005/06 <sup>3</sup>	3,043	256	4	3,303	1,720	158	1,075	2,953	350	4.95-5.75
Wheat										
2003/04	2,345	491	63	2,899	912	283	1,194	2,353	546	3.40
2004/05	2,158	546	71	2,775	907	266	1,172	2,235	540	3.40
2005/06 <sup>3</sup>	2,098	540	80	2,718	910	278	1,188	2,188	530	3.25-3.55
Sorghum										
2003/04	411	43	0	454	182	40	199	421	34	2.39
2004/05	455	34	0	488	192	55	184	431	57	1.79
2005/06 <sup>3</sup>	388	57	0	445	160	55	180	395	50	1.45-1.85

<sup>1</sup> Marketing year begins: Corn, Sorghum & Soybeans, September 1; Wheat, June 1. <sup>2</sup> Primary uses: Corn & Sorghum = Feed; Soybeans = Crushing; Wheat = Food. <sup>3</sup> Projection.

Source: USDA's World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates, November 10, 2005.

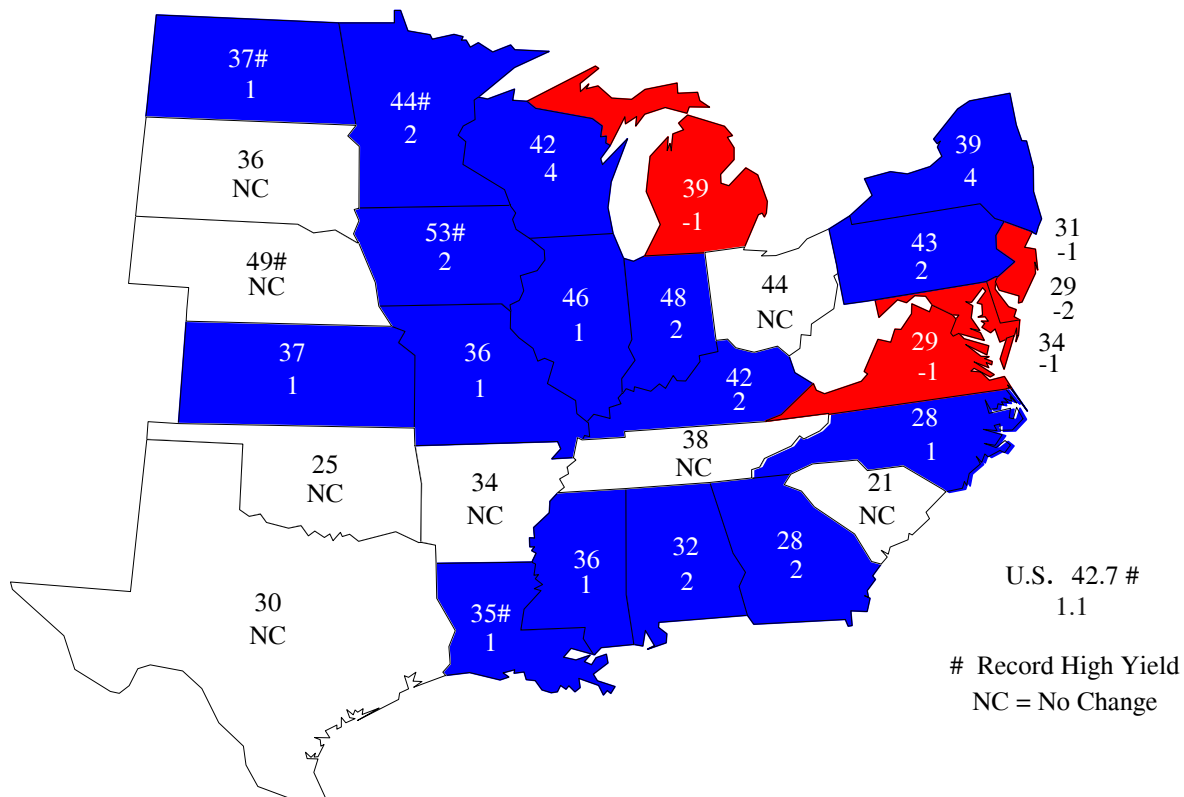
# Corn for Grain Yields, November 1, 2005

## Bushels and Change From Previous Month



# Soybean Yields, November 1, 2005

## Bushels and Change From Previous Month



**Potatoes: Area Planted, Harvested,  
Yield and Production, by Seasonal Group,  
Selected States and United States, 2004-2005**

Seasonal Group and State	Area Harvested		Yield		Production	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
	<i>1,000 Acres</i>		<i>Cwt.</i>		<i>1,000 cwt.</i>	
Summer						
KS <sup>1</sup>	3.4	4.0	400	360	1,360	1,440
Fall						
CO	64.3	57.9	370	385	23,791	22,292
ID	353.0	323.0	374	362	131,97	116,975
ME	61.5	56.5	310	280	19,065	15,820
MI	42.0	43.5	325	330	13,650	14,355
MN	44.0	42.0	430	415	18,920	17,430
MT	10.6	10.9	335	315	3,551	3,434
NE	21.6	19.3	430	410	9,288	7,913
NY	19.2	20.1	270	260	5,184	5,226
ND	101.0	82.0	265	250	26,765	20,500
OR	37.0	37.1	534	584	19,775	21,652
WA	159.0	154.0	590	620	93,810	95,480
WI	70.0	70.0	435	415	30,450	29,050
Total	1,022.3	951.8	401	402	410,25	382,212
United States	1,166.9	1,084.3	391	389	456,04	421,326

<sup>1</sup> Estimates for current year carried forward from an earlier forecast.

Source: USDA NASS Crop Production, November 10, 2005

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